

Amendment to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

Claims 1-28 have been cancelled without prejudice.

29. (currently amended) A spray booth comprising:

a. ~~at least a first panel and an adjacent second panel~~ a plurality of panels, each panel having opposite ends, said panels arranged together in series selectively arragable in series with opposing ends of adjacent panels being attached together to form a spray booth wall;

b. ~~at least one channel formed at one of said the ends of said at least first one of the panels, said channel having a first lip, and a second lip extending from an outward end of said first lip, said second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to said first lip; and~~

c. ~~a post securable to said an adjacent second panel and rotationally engageable within said the at least one channel to releasably engage said the at least one first panel to attach the ends of the adjacent panels.~~

30. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 29 wherein the post includes at least one post wing insertable through a channel opening defined by said one of said ends the at least one end.

31. (currently amended). A spray booth in accordance with claim 29 wherein ~~said the at least one channel includes a first lip~~ extends generally perpendicular to a first side member of said at least first panel positioned at the one of the ends, and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip.

32. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 31 wherein the post includes a post wing insertable through a channel opening defined by the at least one end, and wherein the post wing abuts the second lip.

33. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 32 wherein the post wing abuts the first lip.

34. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 29 wherein said first lip extends generally parallel to a side of said at least first panel. ~~the at least one channel includes a first lip positioned at the one of the ends, a second lip projecting from the first lip, and wherein the post includes a post wing insertable through a channel opening defined by the at least one end, the post wing abutting the second lip~~

35. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim ~~32~~³⁴ wherein the post wing abuts the second lip at a post wing end.

36. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 34 wherein

said first panel has a second end opposite said one of said ends, said first lip extends outward from said panel and away from said opposite end ~~the first lip is oriented parallel to the at least one of the panels.~~

37. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 29 wherein ~~the at least one channel includes a first lip~~ is substantially flat positioned at the one of the ends and a second lip defining a hook corner, and wherein the post is engageable within the at least one channel at the hook corner.

38. (currently amended) A spray booth ~~in accordance with claim 29 further comprising:~~

a plurality of panels having opposite ends selectively arrangible in series with opposing ends of adjacent panels being attached together to form a spray booth wall;

at least two channels, at least one of the channels formed along a length of one of the ends of one of the adjacent panels and at least one of the channels formed along a length of one of the ends of another of the adjacent panels ~~each one formed along a length of one of the ends of the adjacent panels; and~~

~~b. wherein the a post is rotationally engageable within each both of the at least two channels~~ to releasably engage the adjacent panels.

39. (currently amended) A spray booth comprising: ~~in accordance with claim~~

a plurality of panels having opposite ends selectively arrangable in series with opposing ends of adjacent panels being attached together to form a spray booth wall;

at least one channel formed at one of the ends of at least one of the panels;

a post securable to an adjacent panel and rotationally engageable within the at least one channel to releasably engage the at least one panel to attach the ends of the adjacent panels;

wherein the plurality of panels includes at least two panels attached end-to-end in series in a perpendicular orientation;

wherein the at least two panels each include a channel formed along opposing ends of the panels, and

wherein the post includes a Winged-L-shaped coupler, cooperating with the opposing channels to removeably hold the panels together.

40. (currently amended)

A spray booth ~~according to claim 29~~

comprising:

a plurality of panels having opposite ends slectively arrangeable in series with opposing ends of adjacent panels being attached together to form a spray booth wall;

at least one channel formed at one of the ends of at least one of the panels;

a post securable to an adjacent panel and rotationally engageable within the at least one channel to releasably engage the at least one panel to attach the ends of the adjacent panels;

wherein the plurality of side panels includes at least two side panels attachable end-to-end in series in a co-linear orientation; and

wherein at least one of the two panels includes at least another channel formed at one of the ends opposing the end of the other panel wherein the at least one of the two panels is rotationally engageable with the other panel at the at least another channel to removeably hold the at least two panels together in a co-linear orientation.

41. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 40, wherein the at least another channel and the post are vertically oriented.

42. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 40, wherein the at least another channel extends along a majority of a length of the end of the at least two panels, and locks a majority of the length of the ends of the at least two panels together.

43. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 40 wherein the other panel includes a third lip insertable into the at least one channel.

44. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 40 wherein the at least

another channel includes a first lip and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip.

45. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 44 wherein the other panel includes a third lip insertable through a channel opening of the channel, and wherein the third lip abuts the second lip.

46. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 40 further comprising:
a ceiling panel having at least one slot wherein the ceiling panel engages
with at least one of the side panels at the slot.

47. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 46 wherein the slot is formed along an end of the top panel and wherein the slot drops over the side of a side panel.

48. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 46 wherein the slot extends along a majority of a length of the ceiling panel and locks a majority of the length of the at least one panel.

49. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 46 wherein the ceiling panel has two slots and engages with two side panels attached end-to-end in series in a perpendicular orientation.

50. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 46 wherein the ceiling panel includes a lip engageable with a second ceiling panel.

51. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 46 wherein the ceiling panel includes a second lip extending from a first lip, and wherein the second lip is oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip.

52. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 30 wherein the post includes a post channel, the adjacent panel rotationally engageable within the post channel to releaseably engage the adjacent panel to the at least one panel.

53. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 52 wherein the post channel includes a post hook wall oriented at an acute angle with respect to the post wing.

54. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 53 wherein the at least one of the panels includes a third lip which abuts with the post hook wall.

55. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 52 wherein the post includes a generally S-shaped coupler, cooperating with the opposing side panels to removeably hold the panels together.

56. (currently amended) A spray booth comprising:

~~a.—at least a first panel and an adjacent second panel, a plurality of panels, each panel having opposite ends, said panels arranged together in series selectively arrangible in series with opposing ends of adjacent panels being attached together to form a spray booth wall;~~

b.—at least one channel formed at one of the ends of at least one of the panels, the at least one channel including a first lip positioned at the one of the ends, and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip; and

~~c.—a post securable to an adjacent panel, the post including a post wing having a post wing end, the post wing end abutting the second lip, insertable through a channel opening defined by at least one end, the at least one panel rotationally engageable with the post at the at least one channel wherein the post wing abuts the second lip to engage the end of the at least one panel to the adjacent panel.~~

57. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 56 wherein the post includes a post channel formed opposite the at least one post wing, the adjacent panel rotationally engageable within the post channel to releaseably engage the adjacent panel to the end of the at least one panel.

58. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 57 wherein the post channel includes a second post wing, and a post hook wall oriented at an acute angle with respect to the second post wing.

59. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 56 further comprising a top panel ~~having at least one slot wherein the top panel engages with at least one of the panels at the slot.~~

60. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 56 59 wherein the plurality of panels includes at least two panels attached end-to-end in series and wherein at least one of the two panels includes at least another channel formed at one of the ends opposing the end of the other panel, the at least one of the two panels rotationally engageable with the other panel at the at least another channel to removeably hold the at least two panels together.

61. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 59 wherein the top panel includes a channel configured to engage with an adjacent top panel.

62. (currently amended) A spray booth comprising:
at least two adjacent panels having opposite ends being attached together to form a spray booth wall;
at least one channel formed at one of the ends of at least one of the panels, the channel including a first lip positioned at the one of the ends, the first lip oriented substantially parallel to the at least one of the panels and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip, said second lip extending toward the at least one of the panels; and
a post securable to an adjacent panel and removeably receivable within

the at least one channel to releasably engage the at least one panel to engage the ends of the adjacent panels.

63. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 62 wherein the post includes a post wing having a post wing end insertable through a channel opening defined by the at least one channel, and wherein the post wing end abuts the second lip.

64. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 62 further comprising:

a.—at least another channel including a first lip positioned at the one of the ends and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip; and

b.—wherein the post is removeably receivable within both of the at least two channels.

65. (currently amended) A spray booth comprising: in accordance with claim 62,

at least two adjacent panels having opposite ends being attached together to form a spray booth wall;

at least one channel formed at one of the ends of at least one of the panels, the channel including a first lip positioned at the one of the ends and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip;

a post securable to an adjacent panel and removeably receivable within

the at least one channel to releasably engage the at least one panel to engage the ends of the adjacent panels;

wherein the at least two panels are attached end-to-end in series in a perpendicular orientation;

wherein the at least two panels each include a channel formed along opposing ends of the panels, and

wherein the post includes a Winged-L-shaped coupler, cooperating with the opposing channels to removeably hold the panels together.

66. (original) A spray booth according to claim 62:

wherein the at least two panels are attachable end-to-end in series in a co-linear orientation; and

wherein at least one of the panels includes at least another channel formed at one of the ends opposing the end of the other panel wherein the at least one of the two panels is removeably receivable with the other panel at the at least another channel to removeably hold the at least two panels together in a co-linear orientation.

67. (original) A spray booth according to claim 62 further comprising:

at least another panel are attachable end-to-end in series with at least one of the at least two panels in a co-linear orientation; and

wherein the another panel includes a channel formed at one of the ends opposing the end of at least one of the at least two panels, the other

panel having first lip and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip, the at least one of the at least two panels including a third lip and wherein the third lip abuts the second lip to removeably hold the another panel to the at least one of the at least two panels together in a co-linear orientation.

68. (original) A spray booth according to claim 62 further comprising a top panel having at least one slot wherein the top panel engages with at least one of the panels at the slot.

69. (currently amended) A spray booth structural member such as a wall or ceiling comprising:

at least two adjacent panels having opposite side ends being attached together to form a spray booth member wall; and

at least one channel formed at one of the ends of one of the panels opposing the end of the adjacent panel, the at least one channel including a first lip and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip, the first lip extending generally perpendicular to a first side member of the one of the panels, the adjacent panel having a third lip abutting the second lip ~~to removeably hold the adjacent panels together in a co-linear orientation.~~

70. (currently amended) A spray booth in accordance with claim 69 wherein

the at least one of the panels is rotationally engageable with the adjacent panel at the at least one channel and wherein the adjacent panels are attached in a substantially co-linear orientation.

71. (original) A spray booth in accordance with claim 69 wherein the booth further comprises a top panel having at least one slot wherein the top panel engages with at least one of the panels at the slot.

Claims 72-86 have been cancelled without prejudice.

87. (New). A spray booth structural member such as a wall or ceiling comprising:
at least two adjacent panels having opposite side ends being attached together to form a spray booth member; and
at least one channel formed at one of the ends of one of the panels opposing the end of the adjacent panel, the at least one channel including a first lip and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect to the first lip, the first lip oriented substantially parallel to the one of the panels, the adjacent panel having a third lip abutting the second lip.

88. (New). A spray booth structural member such as a wall or ceiling comprising:
at least two adjacent panels having opposite side ends being attached together to form a spray booth member; and

at least one channel formed at one of the ends of one of the panels opposing the end of the adjacent panel, the at least one channel including a first lip and a second lip, said first lip extending from said first end in a first direction, and a third lip formed at a second end of said at least first panel, said third lip extending from said second end in said first direction.

89. (New) The spray booth structural member of claim 88 wherein said first lip is oriented substantially parallel to said first panel.

90. (New) The spray booth structural member of claim 88 wherein an adjacent panel includes an adjacent panel first lip and an adjacent panel second lip, said third lip includes a tip portion, said tip portion abuts said adjacent panel second lip.

91. (New) A spray booth structural member such as a wall or ceiling comprising:

at least first and second adjacent panels having opposite side ends being attached together to form a spray booth member; and

at least one channel formed at a first end of said first panel opposing an end of said second panel, said at least one channel including a first lip and a second lip, a third lip formed at a second end of said first panel, said second panel having a second panel first lip and a second panel second lip, said third lip abuts said second panel second lip.

92. (New). The structural member of claim 91 wherein said second lip is oriented at an acute angle with respect to said first lip.

93. (New) The structural member of claim 91 wherein said third lip includes a tip portion, said tip portion abuts said second panel second lip.

94. (New) The structural member of claim 91 wherein said first lip is oriented substantially parallel to said first panel.

95. (New) The structural member of claim 91 wherein said first lip extends from said first panel in a first direction and said third lip extends from said panel in said first direction.

96. (New) A spray booth comprising:

at least a first panel and an adjacent second panel having opposite ends,
said panels arranged together in series to form a spray booth wall;

at least one channel formed at one of said ends of said at least first panel,
said channel having a first lip, and a second lip oriented at an acute angle with respect
to said first lip; said channel positioned at an exterior side of said spray booth.

97. (New) A spray booth comprising:

at least a first panel and an adjacent second panel having opposite ends,
said panels arranged together in series to form a spray booth wall;

at least one channel formed at a first end of said at least first panel, said
channel having a first lip and a second lip, said first lip oriented substantially
parallel to said first panel and extending from said first end in a first direction, and
a third lip formed at a second end of said at least first panel, said third lip
extending from said second end in said first direction.

98. (New) The spray booth of claim 97 wherein said second lip extends from an end of

said first lip and wherein said second lip is oriented at an acute angle with respect to said first lip.

99. (New) The spray booth of claim 97 wherein said third lip includes a tip portion, said tip portion abuts a second lip of an adjacent second panel.

100. (New) The spray booth of claim 97 wherein said second lip of said adjacent second panel is oriented at an acute angle with respect to a first lip of said adjacent second panel.